

**TRANSFER MADE
OF LIQUOR LICENSES**

**John Hartigan Takes Haas
House and Marietta Ohio-
pyle License.**

WRIT OF ASSISTANCE

**The First Ever Issued in Fayette
County Courts Granted to the
Pennsylvanian Railroad—Divorce Is
Granted and Appointments Made.**

At a short session of court before Judge H. E. Umbel and J. C. Van Swearingen at Uniontown this morning a number of matters were disposed of among which was the awarding of probably the first writ of assistance ever granted in the Fayette county courts. Distillery licenses were granted, hotel licenses transferred, a divorce granted and a number of appointments made. Court was held on Monday instead of Tuesday because the large court room will be used by the school directors of the county tomorrow for their election of a county superintendent.

In the case of the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Youghiogheny Railroad Company against George A. Guth of Dunbar township, a writ of assistance was awarded the plaintiff. The plaintiff company wished to appropriate the house and lot of the defendant so that the tracks of the plaintiff company could be straightened. In order to exercise the right of eminent domain a bond of \$1,000 was filed to protect the defendant from damage. The defendant claimed the bond was too small and refused to give possession. The writ of assistance was granted for a writ of assistance in order to gain possession.

In an answer to a rule to show cause why the writ should not be granted the defendant declared that employees and agents of the plaintiff company had threatened him and forced him by threats and violence to agree to sell the property. The question was also raised whether the board of directors of the plaintiff company had at a meeting passed a resolution for the appropriation of the property.

Attorney W. J. Sturges ably argued the matter for the plaintiff when the writ was brought up on the argument list. Attorney A. E. Jones represented the defendant.

In the opinion and order handed down today the court sustained the argument of Attorney Sturges and awarded the writ of assistance as prayed for.

Judge Umbel handed down licenses to the Fairhance and Mosmore distilling companies. These two companies had been held over for further consideration.

The Fairhance distillery is an old one which has been operated for many years. The Mosmore distillery is a new one and was recently licensed. William Fairhance is President and Henry G. Johnson, Secretary, of the Fairhance Distilling Company. Mr. Johnson is in charge at the distillery. D. Ford Swanney is President and Charles G. Griffith, Secretary, of the Mosmore Distilling Company. The Mosmore distillery is located in German township and the Fairhance distillery in Georges township.

Joe Kesella, of Leetsburg, No. 1, was granted a divorce from Katrina Kesella, of Pittsburgh. He alleged desertion and adultery. They were married on June 11, 1900, at Shenandoah. He has resided at Leetsburg for 13 years. He is providing for their four children. Attorney E. Dale Field was master.

In the case of J. M. Deffenbaugh against Anna Panick the rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened and the defendant let into a defense was discharged because of insufficiency of reason. The plaintiff held a judgment for \$115 against the defendant. The judgment note was assigned to James J. Canfield and entered. The testimony was conflicting. Deffenbaugh who lives near Mountaintop built an addition to the house of the defendant and she gave the note. She testified that he induced her to sign the note while she and he were alone in the orchard and that she did not realize what she was signing because she did not understand English.

Because of illness in the family Charles K. Moser resigned as road supervisor in Nicholson township and Gilbert H. Riffe was appointed in his place.

O. Cline, Sutton, Robert M. McCune and William Freeman were appointed auditors at Fayette City. Those elected failed to qualify. The appointment was made by a petition presented by Attorney S. R. Shelby.

The hotel license granted to William D. Gilechrist for the Ohio Hotel was transferred to Harry Marietta of Connelville.

The license for the Hotel Haas at Connelville was transferred from Otto Haas, administrator of the es-

**A General Strike of Shopmen on
The Pennsylvania Railroad Called.**

A general strike of all the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's shopmen on the Pittsburgh Division was called at 8 o'clock this morning. Labor leaders state that 10,000 men will lay down their tools during the day. All the men in the shops at Pitsburgh and Johnstown are reported out.

Railroad police have rushed to the affected points, but reports state that the men have gone quietly to their homes and no trouble is expected for the present.

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**Pupils Who Pass Required Grades
For Promotion in Dunbar Township.**

Out of a class of fifty-five, forty-three made the required grade for entrance to the Dunbar Township High School. The examination was held Saturday at the High School building at Leetsburg No. 1, the examination committee being composed of Thomas Logan, Middle Hornbeck, members of the township Board of Directors, Prof. L. K. Smith, supervising principal of the township schools, and Prof. Charles Schwab, principal of the township High School, and Sumner Cochran. The successful ones are as follows: J. Floyd Wingrove, Lydia Hudkins, Nettie Gillespie, Marie Baughman, Orland Lehighy, Harry Bonke, Elizabeth Kearney, James Burnhart, Albert Ogden, Harry J. Crawford, Jean Snyder, Lou Frazier, Grace Sherron, John Henry, Grover Jones, Joe Minnick, Andrew Coles, Willis Cameron, Viola Livingston, William Sheppard, Jacob Foltz, Lester St. Clair, Mary Lavery, Gilbert Arch, Marie Mundorf, Cecelia Lynch, Mont Himmell, Little-Moor, Charles Grogan, Florence Hunkins, Margaret Granger, Earl Meyer, Helen Hae-Sherbondy, Mary Zekel, Ruth Smith, Mary Everett, Nellie Miner, Howard, Smith, Harold Heck, Daniel Foltz, Edward Randolph, Marie Canningham and Ruth Danley.

late of the late Andrew Haas, to John Hartigan.

In the action of the Methodist Episcopal church South, of Henry Clay township, against John Hunter and Henry A. Oster, a replication was filed on Monday by the plaintiff asking that the court frame an issue to determine ownership of the church and lot which is claimed by the defendants. The petition of the plaintiff filed on April 12 asked for a rule on the defendants to bring an action of ejectment within a certain time, and if they fail to do so, the plaintiff claim title to the church and churchyard.

A class of five law students entered the final law examination this morning for admission to the Fayette county bar. The applicants for admission are Charles Lowellyn, of B. F. Sterling's office; Harry Byrne of McDonald & Gray's office; Lyons Morgan, of E. D. Brown's office; W. R. Johnson, of Crow & Shelby's office; and J. K. Spurgeon of the Pittsburgh Law School. Attorneys D. W. McDonald, A. C. Hagan, Lee D. Brownfield and B. F. Sterling constitute the board of examiners.

**Orders Made
in Orphans' Court**

A short session of Orphans' Court was held at Uniontown this morning. Judge J. C. Work was on the bench. An order was made granting permission for the sale of property by Margaret and Jane Collins, minor children of the late John Collins to James G. Shownman. The property is located at Pittsburgh street and the consideration is about \$1,200.

C. E. Sotekhnour was appointed guardian of Charles H. Watkins and Oella Watkins, minors.

An order was made providing for the distribution of \$1,555, left by Rebecca Hallum who died in 1892. A life interest was left to Mrs. Eliza Jane Murphy, who died recently and the estate will go to her children, and grandchildren.

**Ohio Legislature
Under Fire Also**

United Press Telegram. COLUMBUS, O., May 1.—Barnes detectives who have been probing the alleged corruption of the present State Legislature this afternoon asserted that they have secured evidence against no less than 20 members and are confident that a great many more will be investigated when the Grand Jury begins its session tomorrow morning.

They assert that 19 members of the Senate alone will be charged with "bribe-taking" in which event there would not be a quorum left to transact business.

**Getting Material
for New Tunnel**

Material is being delivered on the ground at Sand Patch for the new tunnel in Baltimore & Ohio is to erect there. The work will be started within the next few days.

The new tunnel will be somewhat shorter than the present one. The railroad intends operating both. The new tunnel will be slightly more than 4,000 feet long.

Hospital Report. Miss Mabel Craft, superintendent of the Cottage State hospital, this morning gave out the following report for the month of April: Number of patients at the beginning of the month, 222; admitted 27; discharged 32; remaining 18; died 1.

**Surface on the
West Side Drops**

A large area of surface in the Sixth Ward, West Side, dropped several feet Saturday night and Saturday morning residents of that section, the few that remain since the railroad purchases were made, awoke yesterday morning to find almost half an acre had sunk into the abandoned mine workings below.

The collapse of the surface was so even that it was suddenly promoted. The coal was formerly owned by W. W. Soloson but the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie bought up the property.

Although no statement was made, it is assumed that the railroad had the remaining rights in order that the surface might become solid before any filling is done over the ground. The ground went down so easily that it did not even cause a pile of ties to topple over although they took an acute angle when the collapse came. The area that fell was unoccupied and is located between the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie tracks and Eighth street, just north of Menon avenue. None of the temporary tracks laid by the Lake Erie for construction purposes was affected.

**Dancing on
at Shady Grove**

The season for dancing at Shady Grove park will be opened by Manager George C. Cloyd on Thursday evening, May 4. The regular amusement attractions at Shady Grove will not be opened until May 25, but such a demand was made on Manager Cloyd that the dancing pavilion will be opened on Thursday evening and dancing will be held at the pavilion each Tuesday and Thursday evenings until the opening of the park amusements on May 25.

Shady Grove is the only outdoor amusement park in Fayette county. Under the management of R. S. Cloyd it has achieved a reputation for good order and cleanliness that has won for it a large patronage. The amusements are all clean and the management always careful to provide that nothing occurs that could offend the large number of women and children who are the park's patrons.

**Solicitor Renner
After Delinquents**

Borough Solicitor J. Kirk Renner has set May 10 as the last day for paying taxes on the property in the city. The publication of the 1911 audit Renner has been busy seeking to collect the many outstanding accounts.

Renner stated this morning that his efforts in this direction are bringing to light again evidence of bad book-keeping at City Hall. One woman, who approached Renner, claiming to have bills owed the borough, declared she had settled more than seven years ago. Other accounts were also settled, it seems, but are still being carried on the books as outstanding accounts.

After May 10 Renner stated he intends to proceed against the delinquents. Some of the money charged, he declared, had been collected from the records, either because it has already been collected or is not collectible.

**Fine Weather for
Sunday Promenades**

There was fine weather yesterday, somewhat windy but decidedly warm and it brought out the promenaders. The morning was threatening and there was a drizzle from time to time although the sun showed nearly all morning. In the afternoon there was no rain.

The temperature was well above 70 degrees the hotter part of the day and in the afternoon it would have been really hot but for the wind that kept blowing. In the evening it became somewhat cooler.

During the night it began to rain and there was a drizzle this morning. Saturday night it drizzled part of the time but that did not keep the shoppers home. The streets and stores were crowded.

**Mrs. Louisa Hoobler
Dies at Steubenville**

Charles M. Foe passed through town this morning on his way home to Uniontown after attending the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Louisa Hoobler at Steubenville. Mrs. Hoobler was a sister of the late Mrs. Rachel Foe, mother of Charles M. Foe, and wife of the late Capt. Thomas M. Foe. Mrs. Hoobler often visited with her sister in Connelville.

Mrs. Hoobler had been ill for some time preceding her death. She would have been 73 years old today.

**Aged Washington Doctor Victim
Of Foul Murder for Robbery.**

United Press Telegram. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—Confronted by one of the most diabolical murder and decapitation mysteries on record, the police are today dragging the canals in search of the head of Dr. William Gray, an aged and wealthy druggist, whose decomposed and mutilated body was fished out of the mud bottom of Rock Creek by three small boys.

Gray left a local hospital on March 1, with a large sum of money and disappeared. He was eccentric, and for several days his family thought he had gone to another city. The body was found late yesterday and positively identified as Gray. His money and watch were missing.

The murder was particularly fiendish, the head having been raggedly lopped off.

**The Ninety-Second Anniversary
Of Founding of the Odd Fellows.**

In observance of the ninety-second anniversary of the founding of Odd Fellowship in America Rev. E. U. Burgess, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran Church, preached last evening to a representative gathering of Odd Fellows including members of the General Worth and William McKinley lodges of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. The General Worth Encampment, and the Edna Hebeke Lodge, an auxiliary of the Odd Fol-

**WESTERN MARYLAND
OFFICIALS HERE.**

Arrived in Special Train Over B. & O. Saturday Afternoon.

Alex Robertson Accompanies President, B. F. Bush, and So Does New General Manager Sheppard—Inspect the New Line.

In a special train of three cars, B. F. Bush, retiring executive of the Western Maryland railroad, and Alex Robertson, his successor, accompanied by newly appointed General Manager J. A. Sheppard and other officials of the Western Maryland and the Carter Construction Company, visited Connelville Saturday, concluding an inspection of the new railroad being built between this point and Cumberland.

In the party were ex-President B. F. Bush, President Alex Robertson, General Manager J. A. Sheppard, and Chief Engineer H. R. Pratt of the Western Maryland; President John B. Carter, Chief Engineer A. W. Jones and Principal Assistant Engineer G. H. Friend of the Carter Construction Company. The party was accompanied by W. T. Leichter of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

Mr. Bush left the party at this point and continued westward to Chicago, where he is to assume charge of the Missouri Pacific railroad as president.

The visiting officials inspected the work that is being done here being especially interested in the big contract of the Robert Hill Construction Company at Fayette. Division Engineer J. H. Palmer, Robert Hill of the Hill Construction Company, Resident Engineer J. H. Clayton and other officials were with the party.

The trip over the mountains was made in slow stages. More than two hours was spent at Confluence and all the big contracts along the line were visited.

It was stated today that the trip was made for the sole purpose of acquainting the new officials of the work being done. There was no other special significance attached to the trip. Chief Engineer H. R. Pratt had an opportunity to see the progress that had been made since his previous visit some weeks ago.

**Diphtheria at
Rogers' Mill**

Owing to the diphtheria epidemic in the vicinity of Mill Run, the temporary lecture which was to have been delivered yesterday in the United Brethren Church at Mill Run by Rev. Bryan, pastor of the Methodist church at Normalville was postponed until a later date.

The lecture was to have been given under the auspices of the Mill Run W. C. T. U. and it was decided that the gathering of an audience from Mill Run, and nearby towns would probably result in the spreading of the disease.

**Laundry Employes
Tendered a Treat**

The thirty-five employes of the Connelville Steam Laundry Company were tendered an enjoyable treat at the company's plant on Saturday afternoon. F. O. Goodwin, general manager of the plant arranged the treat for the girls and other employes of the company.

Long tables were set and prettily decorated and around them there was a merry party for an hour or so. Ice cream and cake were served.

Take Over Printing Business. George Liston and Will Moore were down from Uniontown yesterday for a brief visit with friends. They have taken over the printing business of the late Wm. Farwell, one of the best established printing businesses in the county. Liston and Moore were employes of Mr. Farwell for many years.

**SHAKEUP MADE IN
POLICE CIRCLES.**

**Officer C. H. McCullough
Dropped for Neglect
of Duty.**

FRITION FOUND IN FORCE

There May Be Developments if McCullough Makes Good Threat to Show Fight—Blames Chief of Police Hetzel For His Discharge.

Interesting developments are expected in police circles as the result of C. H. McCullough's discharge from the force. McCullough was notified Saturday night that his services would not be desired after April 30 and today the force consists of but seven men instead of eight. The Police Committee met Saturday evening and laid McCullough off for "neglect of duty." It is said that McCullough is far from satisfied with this explanation and will ask for a public hearing. He did not comment on his intentions this morning.

The suspension of McCullough did not come as a surprise. For the past several months it has been rumored that the Police Committee intended making changes which would necessitate dropping one or more of the present force. Whether McCullough will be the only victim remains to be seen. Chairman E. U. Hetzel of the Police Committee announced that a meeting would probably be held Wednesday to fill the vacancy.

McCullough blames his discharge on Chief of Police George Hetzel. He claims the Chief has been after his scalp for some months past. "Ever since they got Pinky Rottler off the force Hetzel has been after me," McCullough said today. "He's after another member of the force now. It all happened because we wouldn't kowtow to him."

Burgess Evans, titular head of the police department, declined to become mixed up in the situation. The Burgess has left the management of the police up to the Police Committee. "They had rules and regulations printed and handed every member of the force," said the Burgess. "Let them run the force. If McCullough has violated any of those rules he isn't the only one. Most of the policemen aren't paying any more attention to the rules and regulations than if they had not been written."

There has been more or less friction in the police force ever since George Hetzel became Chief. Burgess Evans was a strong supporter of ex-Chief Barthold Rottler and the relations between himself and Hetzel have been strained. The coolness existing between Burgess, Evans and Chief Hetzel has been noticed more than once by those who frequent police court.

Chief Hetzel had no comment to make today on McCullough's discharge. In fact, he did not mention the subject to the reporters when they dropped around at City Hall this morning.

The police force is more or less divided. Some of the members are firm supporters of the Chief. With others there is some friction, engendered largely by the idea that the Chief is after them. McCullough, it is said, is in a humor to fight his discharge and threatens to show where other officers are guilty of "neglect of duty" without being caught for it.

Chief of Police George Hetzel this afternoon made an emphatic denial that he is in any way to blame for the discharge of McCullough. "I do not spy upon officers and I do not try to have them removed from the force. I treat the officers better than any Chief has ever done. I expect them to do their duty and as long as they are faithful to their trust they do not have a better friend than I am."

"One thing is certain, I do not get drunk and upbraid them as former Chiefs have done. If McCullough says I got him fired from the force he is not telling the truth."

**Consuls Warn
Women to Flee**

United Press Telegram. HONG KONG, May 1.—Consul of the Cantonese district are arranging today to send foreign women residents to this city for safety. The consuls have warned foreigners to seek safety in flight. Today's dispatches tell of the capture of the three largest Cantonese towns, San-Shui, Woo-Chow and Wen-Chow, which the rebels sacked and partly burned.

Two hundred rebels were killed when Chinese gunboats shelled their ranks. The railway service between Canton and Kow-Loon has been suspended.

The News of Nearby Towns.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, May 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry McGibbons were in Dawson on Friday evening attending the Mason's banquet.

Misses Pearl and Jennie Smith spent Sunday the guests of friends in Uniontown.

Wade Marlette of Connelleville, was here on Saturday looking after some business matters.

Mrs. W. R. Hurst was calling on friends in Connelleville on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hurst, who have been the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Burdett at Celouville, returned home on Saturday.

James T. Healy of Vanderbilt, was here on Saturday the guest of friends.

Miss Inez Carroll, who is employed at Harburg, arrived home on Saturday evening and will be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Carroll for a few days.

Tax Collector John H. Menor of Dunbar township, was a business caller in Connelleville on Saturday.

Walter Stroud, who has been here visiting friends, left for his home at Morgantown, W. Va., on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith left for Uniontown, where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kennedy for a few days.

James Hutton was the guest of friends in Uniontown on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. David Williams were the guests of friends in Pittsburgh.

Miss Sarah Helmer was the guest of friends in Connelleville on Saturday.

Miss Agnes Neman, who has been visiting friends in Uniontown, has returned home.

William Kennedy, who has resided here for the past twenty-eight years, left on Sunday for Pittsburgh, where he will engage in the hotel business on Penn avenue.

Mrs. M. J. Scott celebrated her 60th birthday anniversary on Saturday at her home on Railroad street. She was surrounded by a number of her children and grandchildren. At noon a fine dinner was served. Mrs. Scott was the recipient of many useful presents. Among those present were Mrs. Ewing P. Horst and daughter, William Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. James T. Scott, and son, James, Jr., of Uniontown and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Scott and four children of this place.

J. H. Leisenring was a business caller in Pittsburgh on Saturday.

A. S. Dohm, president of the Pope Cement & Stone Company, who has been here looking after some business matters, left for his home in Pittsburgh.

Ernest Jones, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Wales for several months, arrived here and will spend some time with his brother, Robert D. Jones on Railroad street.

Harold McCreary, who has been visiting friends and relatives at Portland, Oregon for the past few weeks and visiting the points of interest throughout the west, returned home on Sunday.

James Connell was a visitor in Mt. Pleasant on Sunday.

John P. Crouse of Connelleville, was here calling on friends and relatives on Sunday.

Mrs. W. C. Smith was shopping in Connelleville on Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Gordon of Leimont, was here on Saturday visiting friends.

Miss Josephine Rinehart of Connelleville, was here on Sunday calling on friends.

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CLARENCE DARROW

SMITHFIELD.

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Prof. J. T. Kling was transacting business at Uniontown on Thursday.

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MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, April 30.—W. P. Coulahan of Pittsburgh, spent yesterday and today as the guest of his brother, Mr. J. P. Coulahan, at his home on North street.

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Bargains at the Fire Sale!

Slightly Damaged Goods Being Sold at Prices That Do Not Cover the Cost of the Material.

The crowds coming in our direction today are as great, if not greater, than those that ran to the fire the other evening.

The fire was an interesting sight to watch—firemen struggling in the flame and smoke always stirs the blood, but the sale that has followed it is an occasion much more attractive for it means the saving of truly enormous sums of money. What is more tempting to man, woman or child than the saving of money.

You probably saw many of the beautiful things we had in stock before the fire. All these are going at prices that never reached such low levels before—and probably never will again.

We want to make room for the mechanics and the new stocks, so come early and get your share of the bargains. Few things were touched by the fire; water and smoke caused all the damage and a little care will remove any trace of these. The extraordinary value is there and you should not overlook the opportunity.

Open This Evening Until 10

FELDSTEIN'S.

DICKERSON RUN.

DICKERSON RUN, May 1.—James Grimes of Uniontown, has returned to his home after a few days' visit here with friends.

R. M. Boyer of Vanderbilt, was a business caller here yesterday.

Prof. J. M. Glase of Dawson, was a business caller here yesterday.

Miss Georgia McBurney was calling on Connelleville friends yesterday.

Charles Brown was a business caller at Vanderbilt Saturday.

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POLITICAL PROGRAM.

Dates of Interest to Electors and Prospective Candidates.

For the information of electors and prospective candidates the county commissioners of Westmoreland county have compiled the following calendar based upon the present election and registration laws and the new primary bill approved by the governor.

This political program will be followed in other counties and is worth preserving by voters and candidates.

May 1.—Assistant assessors commence canvass of districts in boroughs and townships for registration.

May 22.—Copy of registration of voters completed and hanging on election house in each precinct in boroughs and townships.

July 20.—Last day for certificate from party chairman to county commissioners of offices to be filed in county and cities. No party committee or officers can be elected this year under the new primary law.

July 25.—Last day to be answered to be qualified to vote at the fall primary.

August 5.—Last day for commissioners to publish notice of offices to be filled. This includes all offices, county, city, borough, ward, township and precinct.

September 3.—First registration day in third class cities.

September 5 and 6.—Regulatory assessors at the polling places in boroughs and townships to receive applications from voters to be registered and to receive the May registration.

September 7.—Last day to file nomination papers for city or county offices, and to file nomination papers for township or precinct offices, and fifty names for county offices.

September 9.—Last day for commissioners to change polling places for fall primary.

September 10.—Second registration day in third class cities.

September 22.—Furnish of all ballots to be voted at primary to be on file in commissioners' office and open for public inspection.

September 30.—Fall primary from 2 P. M. to 8 P. M.

October 2.—Last day to file primary returns in office of county commissioners. Time expires at noon.

October 4.—Commissioners commence at noon to make official count of primary returns.

October 7.—Last day to pay taxes to be qualified to vote at November election.

October 14.—Last day to file expense accounts in office of clerk of courts for primary expenses have been over \$30.00.

October 17.—Last day to file nomination papers for city or county offices.

October 23.—Last day to file nomination papers for borough and township offices.

October 25.—Last day for withdrawal of city and county candidates.

October 30.—Last day for withdrawal of borough and township candidates.

October 30.—Last day for primary expense account to be filed with clerk of courts if expenses are under \$30.00.

November 7.—Municipal election.

December 6.—Last day to file expense accounts for county officers-elect, and for all candidates not elected.

YANKEE HUNTER A SUCCESS.

Rainey Brings Down Lion Population in East Africa.

NAIROBI, British East Africa, May 1.—News has been received here that Paul J. Rainey, the American big game hunter, and his party have met with unusual success in the southern Gwelo Nyiro river district, about 100 miles southwest from here. Five lions were killed by the party in three days' hunting. Of these the last, a big male, after being trailed by the pack of bear hounds which Rainey took along with him from Nairobi on April 10, suddenly charged a party of gun boaters, but was killed by Rainey.

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The Daily Courier.

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 THE COURIER COMPANY,
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 MONDAY EVENING, MAY 1, 1911.

COAL AND COKE RATE CASES AND OTHER ADJUSTMENTS.

The announcement that there will be no decision on the coal and coke rate cases until fall may be borne with more equanimity by the coke manufacturers than by the coal operators, for the reason that the coke trade is just coming on for the season and will be almost over by the time fixed for the decision, while the coal trade is much depressed and promises to remain so perhaps until fall.

However, it can hardly be expected that the Interstate Commerce Commission will be able to file a judgment in these cases sooner. The cases are somewhat complicated by reason of the fact that they open up both sides of the rate question; and they are unusual from the fact that the coal companies defendant admit that the rates are inequitable, and seek to have the low tariffs raised to the standard of the higher ones, while the shippers complain that the lower tariffs are just and equitable as compared with freight rates on other commodities. The testimony and the plea have gone outside of the immediate subjects of transportation to find evidence in support of the contention that the rates on these fuels should be regulated downwards rather than upwards.

The hearing lent new color to statements recently made in some well-informed quarters, that railroad rates were never based upon equity, but upon the principle that the proper freight charge was "as much as the traffic will bear"; and that, whenever an advancement in freight rates is agreed upon, such advancement must not be horizontal, but equitable; in short, that there must be a wholesale readjustment of rates based upon equity rather than upon old and antiquated schedules.

TOWN CLOCKS AND TOWN PUMPS.

The Town Clock is an ancient tale with a modern chapter, and the end is not yet, at least it is yet in sight. Our contemporary, "The News," has started a new game, it's a dollar limit, and any number can play, but not many seem to want to come in despite the modest ante.

To the pertinent inquiry of The Courier, where the Town Clock is to be placed, The News says it has nothing to do with that matter, but will turn its collections over to the Chamber of Commerce. The location of the Town Clock is certainly a matter of lively interest to the public and especially to that portion of it which has contributed to the fund.

There is no building in Connelville where a Town Clock can be placed that will be visible to the citizens of all portions of the town, or to any considerable number of them. If The News would make good its recent boast, that it is going to give every body in Connelville a timepiece, it should put one on every street corner.

Alarm clocks at one dollar each might answer the purpose. Every ante in The News game will buy a clock. This ought to make the game more popular.

We would respectfully suggest that a Town Clock and a Town Pump be placed on every corner, so that the citizens may have Free Time for the looking and Free Water for the pumping. The public benefit will be immeasurable. The people will not have to buy watches or water. There will be plenty of Time and the Waterworks Puzzle will be finally and effectively solved.

It has been said at intervals that the law is a mistake in this country. A boarder at the Davidson-coke works institute was held up and robbed of \$1.25 and an oil lamp. His two neighbors were trucked into Somerset county, captured and brought back to answer a charge of highway robbery.

The costs in the case will amount to many times the amount in controversy, including the value of the lamp, but justice will be vindicated and the due and orderly administration will be proven anew.

Trout fishing is poor. The season has been too backward. The weather is too cold and the waters too high. But real fishermen cultivate patience.

Ten riotous strikers on the Western Maryland at Indian Creek have felt the Heavy Hand of the Law and the High Cost of its Indulgence.

Captain Kidd has been ordered to the front and it didn't require wild horses to pull him on his way.

The route of the State road to Scotts-ville should be the straight and easy way.

Steel orders are said to be increasing, but furnaces and ovens are going but faster than they are coming in. Perhaps the turn of the tide has come. We will sincerely hope so.

Paul Rainey is bringing down big game in Africa. T. R. has nothing on Paul when it comes to hunting.



Uncle Sam—Go slow in this Los Angeles matter; it is best for you both that absolute justice be done.

Looking Backward.

News of the Past Condensed from the Files of The Courier.

April 28, 1911.

J. J. Donnelly, a freight conductor on the U. & O. was severely injured at Meigsport. He was caught between the buffers while coupling cars.

James O'Hara, a resident of Pennsylvania, was killed by a train on the Northwest branch.

Simon Wyand, a farmer of near Confluence, fell from a H. & O. freight while returning from a business trip to Connelville and was instantly killed.

A strike is on among the coke drawers and miners at the Morrell plant of the Cambria Iron Company. The miners striking in sympathy with the drawers, the drawers want the prevailing scale in the region 20 cents for drawing and 30 cents when the drawers level his own oven.

The Cambria company paid a straight scale of 20 cents an oven. The Courier says the men's demands "are just and reasonable and should be granted."

David Welsh resigns as yard foreman at the Morrell works and will go into business in Connelville.

Everest, Macrum & Company announce that they will enlarge their rolling mill plant at Everett. The belt at Charlotte furnace, Scotts-ville burns with loss of \$5,000.

Announcement is made that the Methodist Episcopal conference at Dunbar will build a church. W. N. Tinkley, J. Martin, A. J. Heyson, W. H. Cotton and W. E. Richman were appointed a committee to solicit funds.

Sheriff James Hoover held an inquest on the farm of the late Joseph Longenecker of Nicholson township, summoning Abraham Mosier, Jr., J. Gilmore, John Hunsacker, Jacob Hec, James Cline and W. O. Wilson who divided the farm into two tracts, the first tract of 92 acres being appraised at \$200 and the second tract of 18 acres at \$22.50.

Miss Anna Mackey holds a Shaker square dance in her room at school. Attorney A. P. Downs made an address as did Rev. J. A. Brundson. Prof. Stacey and Prof. M. L. Fisher.

Stacy and Kurtz notices the barbers that they must close their shops on Sundays.

John D. Patterson, once master mechanic on the B. & O. at Connelville was given a case by his old employer. He went from Connelville to Cincinnati as master mechanic for the Indianapolis, Cincinnati & Lafayette railroad.

Dr. E. Phillips and family of New Haven go to Richmond, Va. for a visit of several weeks.

A factory Jackson, brass foundryman for the B. & O. announces that the railroad has erected for him a building in which to store his tools and equipment.

On Water street police room. In one place he got \$45 in the jacket which went to the toll.

A statement of the People's Building & Loan Association for six months shows receipts of \$1,534 and disbursements of \$1,534 and expenses of \$172, leaving in the treasury \$3,511. The profits for six months are given as \$436, value per share April 1, 1911, \$10.04, a profit per share of 92 cents or more than 10 per cent.

The G. A. R. announces Memorial Day plans. The following committee of ladies was appointed to assist the veterans: Misses Lillie B. Snyder, Rachel Collier, May Johnston, Ida Wolfe, Lettie Held, Lou Florence, May Traynor, Florence Parkhill and Sadie Smith.

George Long, Nick Trump and George Hestel buy a merry-go-round and start out to make their fortune. Their first stop was Cumberland.

George Vance buys the stationary store of W. & Y. and will continue the business at the old stand.

The stone masons on the new court house at Connelville are doing well. The Thompson and Warren glass factory at Connelville closes down till fall. Dunbar township farmers announce that they are all prepared to plant corn the coming week.

A New Geneva correspondent reports the Stonecreek river lower than for years at this season of the year. The stage of water in the river is seven feet six inches.

The residence of A. C. Shepard of Vanderhill burns. The loss is \$2,000. May 1, 1911.

Payette City votes to remain a dry town.

William Allen, a negro, kills William McMillen at Wynn coke works.

The Uniontown Hospital Association is organized with Nathaniel Zwarg as President.

The incorporation of Vanderhill as a borough is taken up by the citizens there.

The tipple and shaft houses at Dorothy mine burn and mine takes fire.

Postmaster Clark Collins reports receipts for April at the Connelville postoffice \$1,404, compared with \$1,185 in April the previous year.

J. L. Kendall, S. A. Kendall and others buy the Casselman Coal Company from W. H. Kendall for \$10,000 cash. Coke production was 217,101 tons from 12,018 active ovens out of a total of 22,000.

Carpets and Rugs

That Are Responsible for Our Reputation as a First Class Carpet House.

Ask your neighbor, if you haven't been doing your buying here, about the wearing qualities of Dunn's Carpets and Rugs. For over thirty years we have been putting them into homes in Connelville and vicinity and we are sure you have a neighbor that can show you floor coverings that have stood the strenuous wear of three years, five years, ten years or perhaps, longer. Look it over; examine it; what about the colorings? That's the way to buy carpets, find out about them direct. The more you investigate the more you will be convinced that it's real economy to buy the good. If it's cheap goods you want; made to sell and not to wear, don't come to Dunn's, but if you are not a judge of quality, it's only another reason why you should buy from this old reputable firm.

The Rug Patterns we are showing for this Spring, we think, surpass any collection we have ever before offered both as to beauty and real value. Tapa, Body Brussels, Axminsters and Wilton Velvets in Oriental, Medallion and all-over designs that are entirely new with this season. Aside from our regular 9x12's and small rugs, we carry a line of odd sizes to fit odd size rooms. They come in the following sizes, 4 ft. 6 in. by 7 ft. 6 in., 6 ft. by 9 ft. 3 in. by 9 ft. 3 in. by 10 ft. 6 in., 10 ft. 6 in. by 12 ft. 6 in., 11 ft. 3 in. by 12 ft. Our carpets equal our rugs both in beauty and quality and all are priced on a low per cent of profit.

Our Curtain Department New Patterns At Attractive Prices.

Up on our second floor you will find a collection of curtains and curtain materials that are worth coming to see if you are needing them and desire new patterns and low prices, appeal to you. Nottingham, Bobinets, Cable Nets, and Renaissance, in white, cream, Arabian, coral and two-tones, and a good showing of scrim in plain with edging or deep lace and inserting. Also a good line of awnings. House cleaning time is now at hand and most every one will have curtains to buy. Those who have should pay a visit to our second floor. We will be glad to show you the line whether you buy or not. We know you will be pleased with our showing of lace curtains at prices from \$2.00 to \$3.50. They are special values.

E. DUNN 129-131-133 N. PITTSBURG STREET.

CLASSIFIED ADS. ONE CENT A WORD.

Wanted.
 WANTED—SMALL PET RABBIT. Reward, 250 MARKET PLACE, 1 May 1st 11.
 LOST—ON MAIN STREET, FRIDAY, April 28, one delivery book. Reward, to finder by leaving same at WALLACE FURNITURE CO. 1 May 1st 11.
 Business Opportunity.
 NORTH AMERICAN ACCIDENT Ins. Co. of Chicago will establish agencies in Fayette county cities and towns. Good representatives wanted. Address: H. C. JOHNSON, Agency Director, care Courier. 1 May 1st 11.
 Executor's Notice.
 ESTATE OF WILLIAM HENNESSEY deceased. Letters Testamentary on the estate of William Hennessey, on the Dunbar township, Fayette county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement.
 JAMES H. GRAY, Executor. Uniontown, Pa. 27mar3-10-17-24apr11mayd
 STEAL PLUMBING COMPANY.
 Plumbing, tinning, slating, hot water, steam and hot air heating. Repair work of all kinds promptly attended to. Estimates cheerfully furnished on all contracts. Office 322 S. Pittsburg Street, Connelville, Pa.
 Remember
 That every added subscriber helps to make this paper better for everybody
 FOR RENT—FOUR ROOM FLAT. Inquire Florence Smith, Main street, West Side. 7apr11
 FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE. bath, gas, reasonable rent. 003 1/2 Franklin street. 4apr11
 FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM FLAT. gas, reasonable rent. 802 1/2 Franklin street. 1may11
 FOR RENT—ELECTRIC CLEANERS. \$1.50 per day. WELLS-MILLS ELECTRIC COMPANY. Both phones. 20apr11d
 FOR RENT—ROOM FOR TWO gentlemen, with or without board. Railroad men preferred. 208 N. THIRD STREET, West Side 20apr11d
 For Sale:
 FOR SALE—500 PURE WOOL STEEP. For breeding, priced from \$18 to \$25. DAVIS COLLIER, VETER. 11
 FOR SALE—MAIN STREET PROPERTY. six rooms, bath, reception hall, steam heat. Call TRISTATE PHONE 500. 11apr11
 FOR SALE—RECEIVED AT TIGHT. heavy lumber yards. First street, West Side, one cut of best and standard wall plaster and white coat finish. 28apr11d
 FOR SALE—COMBINATION driving and riding horse, buggy and harness. Cheap to quick buyer. Inquire JUNIATAVILLE STORE. 27apr11d
 FOR SALE—DESIRABLE HOUSES and lots in Davidson-Newmyer Addition, South Side. Reasonable prices, easy terms. Apply to: MRS. WILLIAM A. DAVIDSON, 1120 South Pittsburg street, Connelville, Pa. 10mar11
 FOR SALE—A RESTAURANT, confectionery and tea, cream parlor in October. Connelville. No opposition. Cheap. Good reason for selling. Address: Box 55, South Connelville. 1 May 1st 11
 FOR SALE—TWO STORY FRAME house, also 20 feet by 14 feet, and out buildings, also seven lots at East End Acres. Good for \$400. More down and \$3.00 a month. Will sell house and single lot for \$300. PEOPLE'S BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION. Alex. B. Reed, secretary. Money to loan on real estate. 4apr11d

For the Workingmen South Connelville Lots ARE BARGAINS.

They are Bargains because they are Convenient. The Suburban trolley line connects them with Connelville and one fare connects the resident with any fare limit outside of Connelville.

They are Bargains because they are Cheap. The prices are about one-fourth those of lots in Connelville and its immediate environments.

If your means will not permit you to own a home in Connelville, they may be ample to provide yourself with a home in South Connelville.

City water and good facilities. The proposition is worth looking into. Call on or address,

Connelville Extension Company, The Courier Building, Connelville, Pa.



FOR THIRTY-TWO YEARS NETTLETON SHOES HAVE STOOD FOR TRUE ECONOMY TO THE MAN OF MODERATE MEANS; AND TO THE MAN OF WEALTH, THE BEST THAT MONEY COULD OBTAIN.

IN STYLE THEY ARE A LITTLE IN ADVANCE OF OTHER MAKES. WE HAVE THE SPRING LINE OF NETTLETON SHOES AND OXFORDS IN PATENT LEATHER, BLACK AND TAN RUSSIA CALFSKINS, AND GLAZED KID.

THEY ARE HERE FOR YOUR INSPECTION AT A TIME THAT SUITS YOUR CONVENIENCE.

Hooper & Long, 104 W. Main Street

Walk-Over Oxfords and Pumps
 TAN, GUN METAL and PATENTS.
 \$3.50 \$4.00 \$5.00
 SPECIALISTS IN PLEASING
 We make a specialty of pleasing every customer perfectly. Only the most reliable brand of shoes is carried and care is taken that every shoe is fitted properly.
 Our Walk-Over Shoes and our Walk-Over Way of fitting and serving will satisfy you. We're sure of it. Try us.
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NEWS OF A DAY IN SCOTSDALE.

Three Districts in Joint Institute Close the School Session.

HAS BEEN GREAT SUCCESS

President of Town Council is in Pittsburgh Hospital—Odd Fellows Attend United Brethren Church—Police and Carriers Have New Hats.

Special to The Courier.
SCOTSDALE, May 1.—The fourth and concluding joint institute of East Huntingdon, Upper Tyrone and Bridgeport independent school districts was held at the Peterson Business College hall in the Savings & Trust Company building on Saturday evening. Like every other educational meeting in Scottdale the lack of sufficient room to accommodate the people who desired to attend was keenly felt, although the hall is a large one. Scottdale's greatest public demand, in the opinion of many, is a large assembly hall for just such meetings. The program was an excellent one. President Bert Montgomery presided most of the time while Miss Leta Dull had charge of the program a considerable time, while Mr. Montgomery was occupied with details of the closing of the institute.

The occasion was the first public appearance of the Haskell orchestra composed of E. E. Haskell, his two sons, and Ellsworth Walker, pianist. The orchestra made a great hit. The solos of Miss Edna Haynes of Everson and Miss Bowers, the latter the township music teacher, were also the object of flattering encores. The East Huntingdon High School quartette composed of Grover Houser, Leona Hail, Wm. Green and Margaret Dodson is something that East Huntingdon may well be proud of. In the few months that Miss Bowers has been the teacher who has brought forth a clever quartette. It is evident that she is proving to be more than a mere drill.

Prof. Lucius Tanager, supervising principal, of the Scottdale schools spoke on the subject of "The Teacher Out of School," giving them some good advice about the summer vacation. The talk was well received.

Rev. W. H. Guyer, pastor of the Church of God at Altoona, who is one of the most popular men before the teachers, gave an address in which he took up the question of where shall the boy or girl leaving the High School go to college. It was an address that would far surpass the ones given by the "stars" at county institutes, and was intensely interesting.

It was of the opinion that education needs a revision, that will afford a woman more opportunity in study, that the most of colleges might seek to keep her away. Our own University of Pennsylvania, he said, is the most conspicuous of all the great colleges and in many respects the greatest of them all, although not so highly rated as the others. He had the subject of comparisons between it and others well in mind and made some vivid statements that surprised the audience, particularly on the high principles enunciated by the university.

Township Principal Orville C. Feltz made an inspiring address along lines of achievement and perseverance, and should encourage the teachers. Miss Viola Sherrick gave a splendid recitation, and Prof. Bert Montgomery delivered the valedictory of the year's institute.

Odd Fellows Sermon.
Nearly every congregation yesterday morning felt a degree of loosening in attendance, as the sermon attended in celebration of the 52 anniversary of the founding of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in America, was preached by Rev. C. W. Hord, deacon, pastor of the United Brethren church. The lodge marched to the church in a body and the minister preached there a straight gospel sermon. There was fine music also for the day.

In New Hats.
The police and the letter carriers are out in new hats, having bloomed on Saturday. The police have a tan hat, while the Uncle Sam's boys wear a somewhat ornate head covering of grey with ventilators in the sides. The styles have never been seen here in either case before as hats for public people.

In Hospital.
President M. L. Hanner will not sit in his usual place tonight when Town Council meets in its regular monthly session. The president is in Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh, where he underwent an operation for gall stones last week and was then operated on for appendicitis. The Men's Bible Class of the First Methodist Episcopal church, of which Mr. Hanner is the assistant teacher, yesterday instructed their secretary to write a class letter to Mr. Hanner. Also some flowers will be sent to him.

Winners Entertained.
The Winners Band, the girls' organization at Brownsville, which was a part of the recent Davis and Mills evangelistic campaign in that town, were entertained at a reception given by the Faith and Hope Band, the similar organization in Scottdale, Friday evening. The affair took place in the Baptist church, and there was quite a number of Brownsville girls here.

A COMPLETE STORE WITH FORTY-FIVE DEPARTMENTS

Ours is one of the most complete stores in the country, having forty-five departments, and all brimming over with the best merchandise of this and foreign countries. You ought to get acquainted with it.



LIST OF THE DEPARTMENTS

Military	Women's Suits	Dress Goods	Jewelry and Gold	Stationery
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We have such special inducements that it will pay you to shop here. Free delivery to within thirty miles of Pittsburgh. Beyond that, free delivery of all purchases amounting to five dollars or more to within five hundred miles of Pittsburgh.

Also, we give "S. & H." stamps and double stamps on Tuesdays and Fridays from 8 till 11 A. M.

Our Midsummer Millinery Opening occurs on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 4, 5 and 6.

ROSENBAUM COMPANY
Fifth, Market and Liberty, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Miss Grace Loucks, president of the Faith and Hope Band, presided and a very enjoyable evening was passed. The visitors were entertained that night by the Scottdale girls and returned home on Saturday.

Beautiful Day.
Sunday was the most beautiful day the spring, and many enjoyed the out of doors. The peach, pear and plum blossoms, particularly the first two, are out in great profusion, and today's rain, everyone is hoping does not pressure cold weather.

Benefit Breakfast for the Hospital

Special to The Courier.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 1.—The Ladies' Hospital Aid Society will hold a breakfast in the Bank and Trust Assembly room from 8 to 9 A. M., on June 1st. (Lam, eggs, fruit, breakfast food, bread, butter and coffee will be served. A business meeting will be held by the society. It is something new around here and the ladies promise to be curious to learn of the breakfast building on this special morning that they will get one of the best breakfasts they have had for some time.

Charles Ong is home from Wheeling, W. Va., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William P. Ong of Vine street.

A number of people from here attended the sale of the late of Charles Elmer Mullin's personal property, conducted by Attorney Eugene Ward, trustee in bankruptcy for Mullin. The sale was conducted from the place of the court house in Greensburg on Saturday morning. Capital stock of various banks, corporations, etc., was sold netting a sum of \$11,949.50. Some of the stock was sold for \$3, while other of the stock brought fair prices.

Mr. and Mrs. East Millwright and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Millwright of Church street and Mr. and Mrs. George Sellers of Cemetery avenue last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and family of Greensburg were the guests of the former's sister, Miss Emma Miller of Main street, Sunday.

Pennsylvania Relief Department

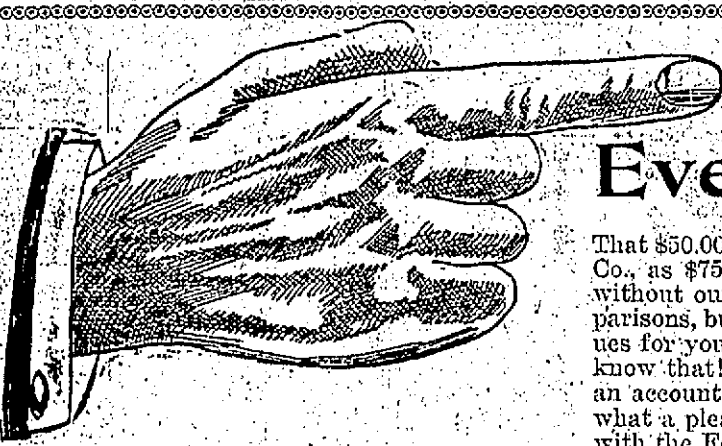
The reports of the Relief Department of the Pennsylvania railroad system issued today, show that during the month of March, 1911, nearly one-quarter of a million dollars were paid in benefits to employees of the company or their families. Since these departments for both the Lines East and West of Pittsburgh were established the amount paid out in benefits has reached a total of \$30,427,571.55. On the Lines East of Pittsburgh and Erie during the month of March payments to the amount of \$158,640.34 were paid by the Relief Fund. In addition to the families of members who died \$38,067.00 were paid; while to members incapacitated for work the benefits amounted to \$100,563.25. The total payments on the Lines East of Pittsburgh since the Relief Fund was established in 1886 have amounted to \$22,415,438.41.

In March, the Relief Fund of the Pennsylvania Lines West of Pittsburgh paid out a total of \$64,735.25, of which \$12,800 were for the families of members who died, and \$51,935.25 for members unable to work. The sum of \$5,317,605.71 represents the total payments for the Relief Fund of the Pennsylvania Lines West since it was established in 1889.

Coal Rate Decision Expected Next Fall
John W. Bollman, who has been prominent in the fight of the coal and coke interests of Western Pennsylvania for a more equitable freight rate, and opposing the discrimination of the railroads against the Pittsburgh district, returned Saturday from the hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission in Washington, D. C., on Saturday. While declining to express any opinion as to the outcome he said that the entire matter would be closed by May 22, when the West Virginia coal men's case against the coal railroads would be merged with that of the Western Pennsylvania operators and coke men.

By the morning of these two cases, the Interstate Commerce Commission will be able to hasten the decision in both. As they are co-related in all important details, it is believed, will be much simplified. It is not thought that the decision of the commission will be reached before late in the fall, and that it will have no bearing on the lake coal movement for the present year.

THE EXPORTS
On Coke and Coal from U. S. in 1910
Valued at \$45,000,000.
Coal and coke exports from the United States in 1910 aggregated \$45,000,000 in value, and in addition to this more than \$20,000,000 worth was supplied to vessels engaged in the foreign trade, making a total of \$65,000,000 worth of coal passing out of the United States in the calendar year 1910. In 1909 the total value of coal and coke exported, aside from that supplied to vessels in the foreign trade, was about \$23,000,000; 20 years ago, about \$7,000,000; and 30 years ago, \$2,000,000.

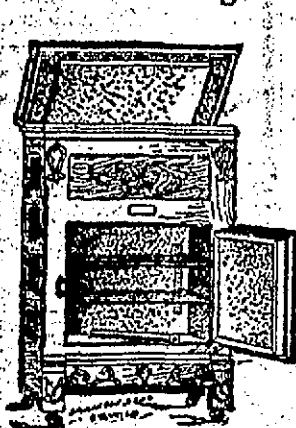


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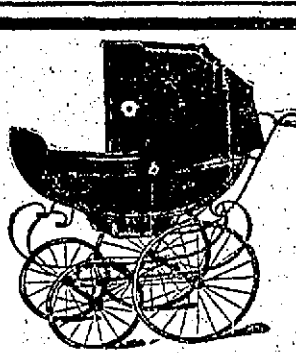
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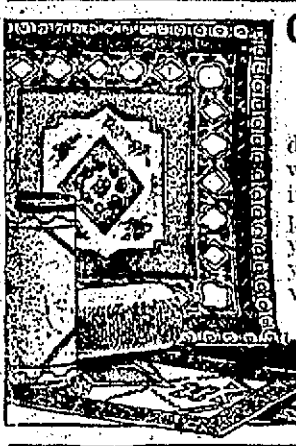
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Sheriff Shields Promises Big Stir Among Westmoreland Co. Officials.

A removal of "the lid" and complete revelation of methods of transacting business in the Westmoreland county court house will doubtless result from the filing, with Prothonotary Vout Saturday of a taxpayers' appeal from the tenth annual report of the controller for the year ending January 1, 1911. The appeal is signed by 18 taxpayers, headed by Sheriff John B. Shields. It is brief and lacking in detail but its possibilities are great.

The text is as follows: "And now comes John B. Shields, E. M. Kopple, John P. Olson, N. G. Nelson, John Kissel, Carlo Bassant, Mike Kissel, Joseph E. Littlewood, James Long, Frank Gasser, Tony Ray, Harry Hazlett, H. C. Heintzel, R. L. Coleman, A. E. Stemple, W. S. T. Harris, John Treacher, John Colglinton, 15 taxpayers, of the said county of Westmoreland, and on behalf of said county, appeal from the report of said County Controller, for the year ending January 1, 1911, to the court of common pleas of said county, alleging that they are aggrieved by the findings of the Controller in said report, and believe the same to be erroneous and incorrect."

BOWYER'S RESIGNATION FROM SUPERINTENDENCY OF NAVAL ACADEMY.



WASHINGTON, May 1.—Captain John M. Bowyer has been chosen as superintendent of the United States Naval Academy to succeed Captain John M. Bowyer on May 15, when the latter will voluntarily relinquish the post on account of ill health. He probably will be assigned to less arduous duties. Secretary Meyer has received Captain Bowyer's application for relief and immediately took up the question with the President, who confirmed the Secretary's choice of Captain Gibbons.

A Cold Wave Traveling East

WASHINGTON, May 1.—A cold wave now over the Northwest, will travel southward, reach the Mississippi valley and the Western upper lake region Monday, the Ohio valley Tuesday and New England in the middle of the week, announced the weather bureau's weekly forecast tonight. This is expected to force temperatures to the freezing point by tomorrow morning, over the Central Rocky mountain region and the Northwest.

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Postoffice Vacancy.
An examination to fill the vacancy of the postoffice at Hildwell, Pa., will be held at Ohiopyle on Saturday, May 27. Last year the office paid \$105.

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THE CASH INTRIGUE

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"I do not understand what you mean by it," Mr. Sawyer went on. "The entire press of the country is amazed with it. When I picked up my paper in Chicago yesterday morning and read of the alterations you had made I was astounded. I took the first train out and came straight here."

"Very prompt and decisive in you, I am sure," returned Kelvin, with open sarcasm.

"Prompt and decisive action is necessary to save the party," the senator boldly retorted, "and the country," he added, "is an afterthought."

"While you were installing yourself in all this extravagant claptrap I saw as I went to the train in Chicago that monster parade of the unemployed. This morning I read of the brutal and unprovoked police attack upon them, of the riot which followed, of the calling out of the state troops, of the killing of a score of men and of your edict last night placing the city under martial law. That is a long score added to your account, Kelvin. To the twenty killed in Chicago add the seventeen killed in Philadelphia, the nine in Cincinnati and the six in St. Louis, and you have more than I would care to carry on my conscience."

"What did you come to see me about, senator?" demanded Kelvin coldly. "There are many others waiting."

"I came to protest against your entire administration," blazed Sawyer. "Before your nomination, to gain the influence of certain powerful corporations, you had Vice President Rollins, as manager of the United railroad system of the United States, give them valuable rebate concessions. Since your election you have, through Philman, who succeeded Rollins as czar of the railroads, stopped every concession and forced a perfect policy of restrictive legislation. With your railroad policy, legislative meddling and artificially produced money stringency you have stopped mills and factories by the hundred and have disrupted the entire industrial system of the country."

"Precisely what was needed," was the surprising reply. "Next will come the readjustment. We shall return to the era of smaller, competitive concerns and a far better distribution of wealth."

"I do not believe it," snapped the senator. "To such conditions would look like going backward. Left to itself the trust and combine and monopoly situation would work out its own salvation, for these aggregations of units were in the line of logical commercial progress, but while we here argue this purely abstract question 100,000 men are on the verge of starvation. They are desperate men and some relief must be offered them at once. What are you going to do about it?"

"Go right on with my program," announced Kelvin calmly, picking up from his desk a heavy paper knife made in the shape of a dagger and toying with it.

"You will not go right on with it!" declared the senator, striking his closed fist upon a corner of Kelvin's desk. "You're going to have a revolt on your hands in both the senate and house."

"And I suppose that you will lead the revolt in the senate," suggested Kelvin quietly.

"It need be, sir," thundered the senator. "I know at what you are hinting—that my self interest will stand in the way. But I hope, sir, I am sufficiently patriotic that when my country calls I shall answer her cry of distress."

"Exactly," rejoined Phillip dryly. "I would expect nothing else from a gentleman of your well known patriotism. In the meantime you have a stiff mortgage on your house in Washington and an equally heavy one on your place out west, both of which mortgages have recently forced you to show the heads of Mr. Breed, which perhaps you did not know."

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"You at least are not going to revolt," went on Phillip, "and if you came here representing any clique of combination of law peddlers you may go back and tell them that I intend to have my way first, last and all the time. I shall not permit any interference. Did you come upon any other errand?"

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"About those mortgages," he said, shifting uneasily. "I don't suppose that there will be any present trouble about them."

"I couldn't say, I'm sure," returned Kelvin. "You'll have to see the head of Mr. Breed's real estate department about that. If you should need any ready cash my private purse is open to you to the extent of, say, a thousand."

The senator wheeled instantly. "If you can accommodate me with a trifling temporary loan—of a thousand for sixty days, say—I would appreciate it very much," he said, smiling ingratiatingly.

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"Not to any greater extent than I had calculated," returned Kelvin. "This confusion must prevail in the interim between the passing away of the old order of things and the institution of the new. You will see that this period of suffering will be but a brief one and that we shall emerge from the entire revolution—for it amounts to nothing less—upon a sounder basis than any commonwealth in the history of the world, with a larger ultimate percentage of happiness than heretofore enjoyed by any state."

Rollins shook his head. "You are mistaken," said he earnestly. "No peaceable economic readjustment is possible when any large number of the members of the body politic have reached the stage of starving desperation."

"You don't see very far, Rollins," replied Kelvin patiently. "You are basing all your calculations for new emergencies upon old principles. Has it ever occurred to you that the solution of all our economic difficulties might be found in an entirely new system of government?"

CHAPTER XX.

ROLLINS looked at him steadily, while a slow flush mounted to his forehead. "Kelvin," said he very gravely, "this is not the first time I have heard you hint at such things. One of my ancestors assisted in the drafting of the constitution of the United States and signed it. Several of them fought to uphold it. It is the most perfect in conception, the broadest in humanitarianism, the most complete in wisdom of any human document upon which a state was ever founded. If it is tampered with in any way or if any attempt is made to manipulate it you will lose the souls of the men who framed it and who died for it will rise up to defend it in a righteous wrath second only to the rage of the Almighty, and by the eternal Godd will be foremost among the nations."

"You are far too logical a man, Rollins," to speak in denotive judgment upon a problem until you know its full conditions," said Kelvin. "I do contemplate a change and a radical one in our type of government. That change can only be made possible by success by its better forces and upheld by men of tried and tested probity, ability and strength. Among such men I count you. I rely upon your support, and I want to tell you that if this change seems feasible I have in store for you a far higher office than the one you hold now."

Rollins glanced about the room with contempt. "I do not want it," he declared, "nor do I wish to be taken any further into your confidence. Any system of government which needs to be supported by force—also why the enormous standing army you are now accumulating—must result in oppression, tyranny and ultimate failure. I know now that any change in government which you would propose would be a retrogression, and for my part I shall resist every such change, even to the minutest degree, with every atom of my will with every breath of my voice, with every drop of blood in my body!"

"Precisely why I want you with us," returned Kelvin with the remarkable patience possessed only by men of one dominating idea to which everything else is subservient. "I like your principles and the way you present them, but I hope you are about to show the heads of Mr. Breed, which perhaps you did not know."

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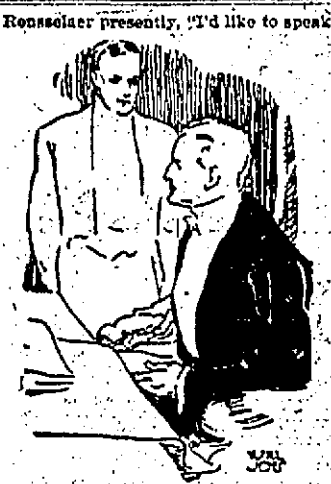
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Repossession presently, I'd like to speak

"I must have the largest army in the world."

with you about a rather delicate matter. It's about Mrs. Breed—now don't take this amiss. Phillip—am you contemplating anything serious in that direction?"

Kelvin was silent for so long that Herbert began to think he had not heard, but presently he answered, "Sure?" Herbert asked.

"Absolutely," Kelvin replied. "Thank you," said Herbert slowly. "Rather a candid question, I know, but between us—He, too, lapsed into troubled silence.

Kelvin seemed to be about to say something more, but he did not. "Sam, do you think that in a fight I could rely on your brother Perry as I could on you?" asked Kelvin as he was dressing for dinner that night.

"Deed, Ah don't know, sah," answered Sam, putting the studs in Phillip's shirt. "He's a bit of a scoundrel, anyhow. Ah don't reckon Ah'd place too much 'lance on Perry in a pinch."

"Well, we'll keep him for his looks then," said Kelvin, laughing. "You want to be careful, though, that he doesn't steal Lucy from you."

"Lucy? Huh?" grunted Sam, brushing the last speck of dirt from Kelvin's pump. "Et that wretched scoundrel turns up the whites of his eyes 'round Lucy, Ah's gonna 't break ev'ry bone in his body. Heh-heh! Lucy!" and Sam grinned.

"You don't want to be too sure, Sam," cautioned Kelvin. "Do you think you could whip him?"

"Whip him?" repeated Sam. "Why, Mistuh Phillip, wh'd them two huns Ah kin lick any man in all this world!"

Kelvin, however, tiring of the banter, had strayed to the table in the corner of his dressing room, where lay spread out an outline map of the United States, with figures here and there contiguous to large cities—so many troops massed here, so many there, so many in that other place, at stations scattered thickly from coast to coast and from lagoon to gulf, grand total so many. He nodded his head in satisfaction, sweeping his eye over his diagram. The little points upon his map were regiments of stalwart men clad in the khaki of the United States government. He could hear the tramp of their feet, the click of their guns, the clank of their submers. The ground shook under their rhythmic tread, while nations heaved and trembled. And these, all these, were of his dominion!

An innate ambition had taken possession of him. It had always been there, he realized now, but it had grown with his years and his opportunities. It had grown until it encompassed the seas and the land beyond until it embraced the earth.

At the porte cochere he found waiting for him a limousine, with an open car before and behind it, each of these extra cars carrying four silent and alert members of the secret service. Perry already sat beside the chauffeur of the limousine, and Sam followed Kelvin into it, upon which all three of the autos moved away. Just beyond the point circle they were delayed by a congestion of carriages, and Kelvin saw Blaise White at the doorway of the house occupied by Rollins and his mother. Elsie was now Mrs. Rollins' companion. She had loved him, this girl he knew, with an unselfish heart ever since he had been a lonely heart prospector, years before he loved him yet, he was sure, and he

had neglected this gift, had thrown it away."

She was talking to her father and George Blagg. Kelvin from within his closed car saw White start away with Blagg and Blaise apparently striving to coax him back. She even came out to the edge of the walk and put her hand upon his arm. Blagg, however, "dropped" her. Between them and taking White's arm, walked away with him.

Kelvin stopped before a magnificent residence recently vacated by a notorious railroad senator who had not been "found available" and leaving a city not a village but in a state of turmoil and panic and ready for anything just so it is a change. The enlistment in proceeding even more rapidly than I had hoped. Within three months more I shall have the largest and most efficient army ever placed under the control of one man."

"Excellent!" said Fred. "Excellent!" And then, Kelvin, things must be settled very quickly, very quickly indeed. My cash supply is not increasing. It stands now just a trifle over a billion and a half. Why, even the government could, if it chose, control nearly as much cash as I can. This unmet need of cash, of course, is a means to an end, but in the meantime it is very bad for business, very bad."

"I don't think we'll attempt to accumulate much more cash for a long time," announced Kelvin, "but I think that after things are settled down we'll let go of some of it."

"Let go of it?" protested Fred, becoming instantly excited. "Impossible, impossible! Why, the very force that has made us in is locked up in that impregnable vault beneath my cellar at Forest Lakes! And would you destroy this tremendous dynamite by weakening it?"

"No," said Phillip dryly. "I do not aim to destroy it. I only aim to use it. I can guarantee you that I shall propose nothing that would lessen my own grasp of public affairs."

Breed was thoughtful for a moment, and then he chuckled and nodded his head voluntarily. "But I'm not having any face breaking into leathern wrinkles. I guess you are right, my boy," he admitted. "I haven't seen you do anything yet that would lessen your own power, nor mine," he added, "nor mine. You have been doing wonderfully well. Phillip—wonderfully well. But come, with me; I have a surprise for you."

Up into his own suit he led Kelvin, and from the bottom of one of his trunks he took a heavy robe of carmine velvet and ermine, with childish delight drawing its luxurious folds around his tall and stooping body. From the hat box of his trunk he took a wonderful creation in gold and jewels and set it upon his head. He brought forth a rod of polished ebony tipped with gold and set with one huge, glittering diamond in its end, then stood, half smothered, before Kelvin, accoutred royally with robe and scepter and crown. These baubles seemed to change the current of Breed's thought.

"The Lord's anointed," he quavered, holding forth his scepter in an unsteady hand. "Mine is the appointed hand to chastise my people for their follies and their ingratitude. Mine is the hand to humble them. Mine is the hand to set them anew in the paths of peace and plenty."

"It is a very handsome outfit and must have cost fortune," commented Kelvin briskly. "You don't want to keep them here, however."

"No," agreed Breed. "I just wanted to show them to you. I just got them today. I want to have them handy when the time comes, you know. He had sunk his voice here to a whisper. He had intended to take them to Forest Lakes, he went on, "but—but you might want them suddenly, and I'll just put them away here."

He took a big suit case from a closet

GREEN ROOM CHAT.

THE SOISSON.

"The Red Mill."

Fresh from its triumph of a year's run at the Knickerbocker Theatre, New York City, followed by engagements of three months each in Chicago, Philadelphia and Boston, Martin & Emory Company's complete production of the Henry Blossom and Victor Herbert comic opera masterpiece, "The Red Mill," will be seen at the Soisson theatre Tuesday, May 2.

In collaborating, Messrs. Blossom and Herbert have had the extraordinary good fortune of not only duplicating their former success "Mlle. Modiste," but have in "The Red Mill" one that will far exceed it in many ways.

The story is to the point, describing the trouble in which two American tourists find themselves after spending their money too recklessly, after which they unconsciously prove heroes in rescuing a persecuted maiden from an obdurate parent by entering the mill on the blades of a revolving fan, in which manner they escape with the girl on to the ground and restore her to her lover.

Victor Herbert has composed a score of the whitest kind of music which has already gone through the country with telling effect. Messrs. Martin and Emory have provided an admirable company of some 50 people and have faithfully reproduced scenes and costumes of quaint and picturesque Holland.

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and hurriedly packed the expensive goods into it.

"By the way, Phillip," said he in an unusually wheedling tone, "how much money have you with you?"

"I don't know," returned Kelvin, a trifle surprised. "A little over a hundred, I think."

"You won't need it tonight, I am sure," said Breed. "I have need for a little ready cash, just a little ready cash."

He took the money eagerly and counted it over and over.

"One hundred and fourteen dollars," said he, "strutting it deeply into his pocket. 'You may just charge this to my account.'"

He picked up the suit case hurriedly. "Go down to the library," he directed. "I'll return in a few moments," and he started through the hall toward the back stairway.

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Accident reports filed with the State Railroad Commission for the year 1910 have been summarized in a report made by the commission to the governor, and show that during the year 1,177 persons were killed and 9,067 injured on the steam railroads of the state, and 187 were killed and 4,110 hurt on the electric lines. The number of casualties on the steam railroads was greater by 88 than in 1909.

Car Shops Burned.
The car shops at the Apollo plant of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal & Coke Company, near Fayette City, were destroyed by fire of an unknown origin. The loss amounted to about \$1,000. The miners' safety lamps were kept in the building and all were destroyed. Others were secured in time to enable the men to go to work.

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BASEBALL.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

National League.
Chicago 6, Pittsburgh 1.
St. Louis 5, Cincinnati 1.

American League.
Chicago 5, St. Louis 1.
Detroit 5, Cleveland 1.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

National League		
Philadelphia	11	741
Pittsburgh	8	615
New York	8	615
Chicago	8	600
Cincinnati	4	469
Brooklyn	3	337
St. Louis	3	280
Boston	4	257

American League

Detroit	12	837
New York	7	787
Chicago	7	700
Washington	6	500
Boston	6	492
Philadelphia	6	482
Cleveland	6	472
St. Louis	4	297

Bits of Baseball.

Despite the fact that he has been ill during the latter part of the season Duke Meyers is playing a bang-up game for Brooklyn in middle field. He is getting hits and thus is what counts. Saturday he drove out a pair of singles but had an error in the outfield. If Davidson stays out of the game long enough Duke may show Manager Dahlgren he is good enough for a regular job. The way Davidson is hitting will make it necessary for the former Collier to go at a good pace.

No team is either league needs an outfielder worse than the Washington Americans. Myers would fit in there as a side partner for Clyde Miller if he were not tied up by Brooklyn. Strange how these tall tales will carry a plethora of tales. One branch of the game or another and be wearily weak at other spots.

Coke's fans are pulling hard for the Phillies and Sherwood Magee. Magee predicted Doolin's team would be in the running and the way they have been leading the National League procession makes it likely for the western team when the first clash comes. The Phillies will have the advantage of meeting the Cardinals, Cubs, Reds and Cardinals at the Philadelphia park for the first time, which last any handicap by a long shot.

President Horace Fogel of the Phillies will probably think twice before he backs Doolin's plans again. During the winter the newspaper man-baseball magazine let out a few walls over the deal with the Reds which brought Paskett, Lobert, Rowan and Bebe to Philadelphia but McQuillen, Moran, Bites and Grant haven't been settling the league after the Reds. Grant is the only ex-Phillie who is holding up his end of the deal but Clarke Griffith professes to be content. Incidentally the Phillies are not mourning the acquisition of Luders and Stack. Luders is making the fans forget all about Kitty Bransford. Meanwhile Frank Chance is forced to use his utility catcher at first base while he is laid up.

These Detroit Americans are starting off like pennant winners. The way they have come back is so much startling. It seems that Luby Jennings, who has had as much trouble around first base than Clarke, has landed the man at last in Gair, the former Gration player. Gair or rapped out enough healthy clubs on the local diamond to cause him to be greatly respected here and from his batting average it appears he is finding American League pitchers no harder to solve than the old Pawnee.

It is reported D. N. Johnson will come to the rescue of the Washington Americans. The Nationals have been up against it this year for besides losing their baseball plant and being forced to erect concrete stands and bleachers. Walter Johnson told them up for the highest salary paid any American league pitcher. The Nationals need two good outfielders. Even one who can field and hit around the 300 mark will make the chronic tailenders a first division possibility. No team in either league is better fortified in the battery department and the infield is not only putting up a splendid defense, but beating the brains of the offense as well. The outfield is a joke. Clyde Miller has shown himself this spring to be one of the greatest fielders since the days of Jimmy McAllister and Bill Lank, but he is forced to cover practically all three positions in the garden. Despite this strain he is hitting in splendid style. It took Miller quite a few seasons to arrive, especially in the hitting department, but today there are few better outfielders in the business.

If Joe Jackson continues his batting streak Cobb, Lajoie and a few other heavy hitters of the American league will have to take a back seat. Jackson has a penchant for hitting two-baggers. Occasionally he switches and delivers a triplet of singles or bunch of home runs. Connie Mack overlooked a good bet when he let the illiterate Southerner go.

When the Phillies trained at Birmingham Magee and Elam became bosom friends and exchanged kind words of the time. Both had a kind interest as a result of their Connelleville experiences. Magee

gave Elam some pointers on hitting and the fair haired lad was profiting by them when he was laid up with a broken collarbone. Let Elam get on to hitting the ball and there is big league timber. No player takes better care of himself nor is more anxious to rise in the profession. There are few better leaders in the minor leagues than Elam and he should learn to hit safely. He never had great trouble connecting with the ball but usually hit it at some waiting fielder.

Kid Dark played with the Vandergrift team of the American Sheet & Tin Plate Company Saturday. He had three putouts at short but he got no hits. Vandergrift lost to Verona 6 to 2, getting but four hits.

Washington Saturday scored four runs on three hits and defeated Boston, yet they say miracles no longer happen. Usually the Nationals can get about two runs on a dozen hits and lose.

Alex Sweeney is piloting a tallender at East Liverpool, up to Saturday the Pottery having lost three games. Tom Sisco dropped two of these. Sisco is the champion hard luck pitcher. Wonder Alex pitched him in the opener.

Milget Kellar, formerly of Fairmont, is playing with New Castle Parkers, of the same team, is with Mansfield in the same position on the batting list. Dad McAleese, of Clarkburg, is one of Sweeney's East Liverpool backstops. Sisco and Kruger are on the pitching staff of the same team; Raley is playing first base for Stouenville while Canton looks like an Old West Penn team with the Dawson brothers, Slagle, McFarty and Humphries.

Among the Boxers. Two decisions over Monte Altigh have boosted the stock of Al Delmont, the Boston scrapper.

Harry Forbes, the ex-bantam champion, has signed to box Jimmy Walsh of Boston in Kenosha, Wis., May 9.

Blink McClosky is making good in Paris. Blink's work never caused any riots at home, but he has surely set the Parisians agog.

'Cyclone' Thompson, who is now a middleweight, says that he will make 140 pounds ring-side for Paskey McFarland, if the Chicago boxer is looking for something to do.

Keystones Win From Hecla

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTSBURGH, May 1.—The Scottish Keystones opened their season at Loucks park with the Hecla Juniors Saturday at 3:30 P. M. Considering the condition of the diamond the local boys put up a clever game. The first two runs came in the second inning; again they succeeded in getting two more in the fourth and another in the sixth. It looked as though Conners was going to get a shut out to his credit but the Hecla boys came to life in the eighth and piled in two runs. Through hard work Conners pulled out of the hole. The visitors scored again in the ninth. The feature of the game was the batteries of both teams. Conners struck out 7, Jumbo 6, both of the last six outs worked hard. Time 1 hour and 10 minutes. Umpires Hockenberry and Hostettler. Timekeeper Archibald, Scorer Steelsmith.

The Keystones play the H. C. Frick Central May 2, at Loucks Park at 6:45 P. M.

Next Saturday the boys are matched against the strong Trauger Ticks nine at Trauger grounds. Any teams who wish games drop a line to Quay King or S. Elcher, Scottdale, Pa.

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Forbes 5 0 2 1 0 0
Jumbo 5 0 2 1 0 0
Bell 1 1 0 0 1
Leach 4 0 0 0 0 0
Schwarzen 4 0 0 0 0 0
Schwarzen 4 0 0 0 0 0
M. Blundie 4 0 0 0 0 0
Welch 4 0 0 0 0 0
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Total 38 0 2 1 0 0
Hecla Jrs. AB R H P A F
S. Krystones 0 0 0 0 0 0
Base on balls—Off Conners 2; Welch 2.
Two base hits—Bell 1.
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The Hotel Congo, West Pittsburgh street and Pennsylvania avenue, William J. Houston, proprietor, was granted a license. This was the only one held over in Greensburg.

License was granted to the Independent Brewing Company of Pittsburgh for their plant at Lakewood. The Portman Distillery, James C. Horton, proprietor, was also given a license.

Three Monessen hotels were given licenses for the year, as follows: Park Hotel, Elizabeth Keller, proprietress, New Kilroy Hotel, M. J. and J. J. Kilroy, proprietors, Merchants Hotel, Jennie McGinley, proprietress. The granting of these licenses disposed of all of the holdovers among the hotels.

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